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Patent Application

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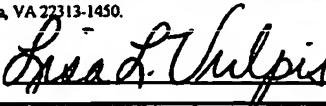Serial No.: 10/688,231
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Group: 2815
Examiner: George C. Eckert, II

Title: Metal-Oxide-Semiconductor Device
Having Improved Performance and Reliability

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Submitted herewith is the following document relating to the above-identified patent application:

(1) Amendment and Response to Office Action.

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Respectfully submitted,

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CLAIMS AS FILED – PART I

FOR	(Column 1) NUMBER FILED	(Column 2) NUMBER EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY RATE	SMALL ENTITY FEE	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY RATE
BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a))				$	OR	$
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	minus 20 =		X $_____ =		OR	X $_____ =
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	minus 3 =		X $_____ =		OR	X $_____ =
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+ $_____ =		OR	+ $_____ =
			TOTAL		OR	TOTAL

* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED – PART II

AMENDMENT A

	(Column 1) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(Column 2) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(Column 3) PRESENT EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY RATE	SMALL ENTITY ADDITIONAL FEE	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY RATE
Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))	*	Minus	**	=	X $_____ =		OR	X $_____ =
Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))	*	Minus	***	=	X $_____ =		OR	X $_____ =
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))					+ $_____ =		OR	+ $_____ =
					TOTAL ADD'L FEE		OR	TOTAL ADD'L FEE

AMENDMENT B — 3.25.05

	(Column 1) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(Column 2) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(Column 3) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	OR	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))	23	Minus	20	= 3	X $_____ =		OR	X $ 50 =	150
Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))	3	Minus	3	= —	X $_____ =		OR	X $_____ =	
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))					+ $_____ =		OR	+ $_____ =	
					TOTAL ADD'L FEE		OR	TOTAL ADD'L FEE	150 Pd.

AMENDMENT C

	(Column 1) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(Column 2) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(Column 3) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	OR	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))	*	Minus	**	=	X $_____ =		OR	X $_____ =	
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FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))					+ $_____ =		OR	+ $_____ =	
					TOTAL ADD'L FEE		OR	TOTAL ADD'L FEE	

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